

## Dothan Eagle

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The first of January to

look a good deal of inter-

est.

It is now about time for the

people to look at the more serious

problems of making a living for

1911.

During the season, we have

fine weather, notwith-

standing the efforts of the weath-

er.

The Courier-Journal man thinks

that the death of the Bachelor

Club of New York might

be attributed to heart failure.

All feel better when we

see the confusion of Christ-

mas. Within an other week

we will be moving smoothly.

All feel better. By

the time we will have consumed

the things we were left from the

season down to every day

life.

The Whitley, our representa-

tive for Houston county in the

legislature, would like to serve

the majority of the people as well

as he can, when he goes to Mont-

gomery, now in a few days. As

the thing now stands, he hardly

knows the wishes of the consti-

tuency. He doesn't want to go

up without some expression from

the people as to what he is ex-

pected to do with reference to

the whiskey traffic.

As it now stands, a petition is

being circulated to give the town

One may be out for a

though we have seen

of it, nor have we seen

any one who has. The prohibi-

tion folks are putting out no peti-

tion saying that the present laws

be maintained.

The thing to do is to try to get

expressions from the people.

hookworm talk.

Houston county hook-

worm story is a good deal like the

"three black crows" of the old

school books. The story was that

20 per cent of the people of Hous-

ton had hookworms. The facts

show that a number of people sus-

pected of having the worms were

10 per cent of those who

have them. Houston

is a body of hard-working, pros-

perous, progressive people, with a

considerable amount of wealth al-

ready accumulated. Hookworm

do not like to work. We

whether Houston has any

of these worms than any

city. Birmingham led

before, this was the

where any systematic

started. The percent-

large, but this isn't the

of actual patients. We

at be known later, for

reached them all yet.

reached but a very

take, too, about the

hookworm patients

are able to work

but they really don't

about them and

well people have,

could do much

them was clean of

## Say What We Want

It is said the whiskey folks are circulating a petition to give the town open saloons. It has also been said that a dispensary petition would be circulated. Meantime, the prohibition forces are doing nothing.

If the legislature is presented a petition from Dothan citizens, asking for whiskey in some form, with no opposition, it will very properly conclude that there is no sentiment in Dothan against the sale of whiskey.

There isn't enough prohibition sentiment in Dothan and Houston county to keep some kind of a bill from passing, no doubt, but there ought to be some kind of a protest made, so that it will not look like the thing is all one way.

No one, we suppose, would say that the present conditions are ideal. They are not satisfactory, but through no fault of the prohibition laws. They are good enough. All that is needed is enforcement and a public sentiment to call for the enforcement would make them effective.

There are not enough people making a kick on the blind tigers, and appealing to the officials to enforce the laws.

Meantime, no bill is likely to get through that will put any change into effect earlier than the first of March, for it will take thirty days advertising the bill before it can be put before the legislature, we believe, unless there is a general local option bill passed, and in that event, an election will have to be called in the county to put it into effect.

There is no relief to offer, under the present conditions.

We are to have whiskey. It will either be sold by open saloons, by the dispensary, or by blind tigers, as it is now. There is no need of tigers, if a proper effort was put forth to run them in. Some towns don't have them, but we all agree that we need relief, unless the present blind tigers are made to shut up, or put more revenue into the town's treasury.

What will we have? Are we going to send our representative and senator to Montgomery without any instructions? There are but few days left to think it over and decide on what we want.

## Dull Times

It is something pathetic to note how pushed up for copy some of the bigger dailies get during the dull seasons. We all know that certain days we haven't room enough for the good, live home news that happens, and then others, we have nothing fit to print.

That was the condition of the office of the Advertiser the other day. The make-up man let his wants be known. He wanted a story for one of the columns on the front page. One of the men hap-

pened not to be busy right then, and swung his chair around and went down stairs. As he reached the sidewalk and looked toward the capitol, he thought of Comer. With a superhuman effort he tried to imagine what Comer would be doing after O'Neal takes his seat. He knew that the people of Alabama would read an article at this time about Comer, whether Comer or Comer's friends were asked.

With those few facts before him, nothing remained but to get a long piece of copy paper, and give the keys of the typewriter. When the story was typed, he told how Comer would be doing after O'Neal takes his seat. He told how Comer would be doing after O'Neal takes his seat. He told how Comer would be doing after O'Neal takes his seat.

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The article, before it was sent to the printer, was read by the reporter. He found that he needed some copy, and that Comer, for the last six or eight years, is good for copy at any time, whether he talks, or just plays a thinking part.

No one has accused Comer of wanting to run for the Senate in the last year or two, for he has run rules every day in the year than he will have in the future. He may have thought of this at one time, but we doubt if he has given the matter serious thought in recent months.

Things would have to change considerably, of course, before he could ever be elected to the United States Senate by the people of Alabama. He is now classed with the down and outers, but no one can tell when the people will rise up as one man, and want some thing, and when that time comes, the Advertiser man's predictions may be right, and he or some other bright young man for the paper, will furnish the story, which is always readable, till the clouds are pulled in over him.

But the article the Advertiser printed was read, whether there was an excuse for printing it or not, and we excuse the paper, for we know how important it is to fill up the space between the column rules every day in the year.

## ELKS WILL HAVE BALL.

The annual ball of the Dothan Lodge 1133 B. P. O. E. will be held Thursday night at the home. Several out of town guests have been invited to attend and many Dothan people will be present.

## Elite Theatre

Monday Night, January 2nd.

Barton &amp; Wiswell, (Inc.)

OFFER

THE WELL KNOWN

## Smart Set

With A New And Thoroughly Equipped Production.

NEW Costumes, Scenery, Music, Electric Effects, Edition of Laugh Producers

INCLUDING

Salem Tutt Whitney

AND

## Suits and Overcoats

The way we have sold overcoats and suits this season has been something remarkable. To keep what our customers want, we keep them coming by express, every week. Can fit you up in a nice suit or overcoat at the season-end price

The Cold Weather is Ahead of us yet

## Grant Clothing Co.

EAST MAIN STREET

We pay your Railroad fare too and from Dothan, through the Merchants Rebate Association.

## OWN YOUR HOME.

Why pay exorbitant rents, when the same money will buy your home? Suppose you are paying \$25 per month rent. That's \$300 a year. Add \$200 to the rent, or \$16.67 a month, and you can have a home built on any lot you own and the home will be exactly like you want it.

We have two of those desirable lots on the corner of Newton and St. Andrews streets left. There are no more valuable lots for residences in Dothan and they are as cheap now as they will ever be. The owner will build homes for the buyers of these lots on the payment of one-fourth cash. The balance may be paid like rent.

Dothan has just entered upon the best era in its history. The new census places the city among the leading towns in Alabama and the next few years will witness such a growth as the most optimistic booster has not dreamed of. Property is cheap now to what it will be then. We have several pieces of business property at specially low prices. Let us show them to you.

100 Farms for Sale.

DOTHAN LAND AND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY  
L. G. Biggers, Manager

The following invitation has been received by the Eagle. "Mr. and Mrs. Tobin Stover of Beckley, West Virginia announce the marriage of their sister Miss Rosalie Wadling to Mr. Presley Elmer Brown of Wilkesboro, North Carolina Saturday December the twenty-fourth, Roanoke, Virginia." Miss Wadling is a niece of Miss Nap McLennan and has a number of friends in Dothan, where she has visited several times.

W. R. Tennille and Felix Leslie returned yesterday morning from Atlanta, where they have been to get an auto for Judge George Leslie.

For Rent—The Moody home on North St. Andrews street. Pos.

## WHOLESALE CENTER FOR Mules and Horses



Dothan has become a wholesale center for Mules. You can readily believe this by calling in and inspecting our stock.

## 125 HEAD OF MULES

direct from the mule centers. They are bought so close till we can sell the dealers of this territory. All we ask is a look-in at our lot. We know where to buy.

This entire shipment is composed of MULES that are well broken to harness, thoroughly acclimated, clean and sound. Come in and look over the lot.

## Dothan Mule Co.

O. E. Williams, Mrg.

Dothan, — — — Alabama.

## ATLANTA @ ST. ANDREWS RAY RY.

## TIME TABLE NO. 3

Effective June 13th, 1909

Southbound			Northbound		
No. 3	No. 1		No. 2	No. 4	
3:15 p. m.	8:40 a. m.	Dothan, Ar.	12:45 p. m.	7:10 p. m.	
5:05	10:40 a. m.	Cottontdale, Lv.	11:00	5:20	
5:20	11:00 a. m.	Cottontdale, Ar.	10:05	5:05	
9:45	1:45 p. m.	Panama City, Lv.	7:40	3:05	

**THE FIRST COUGH OF THE SEASON IS HERE**

Or it may be that it is just a little sore throat or the tickling sensation that always precedes a case of tonsillitis or pneumonia. Hadn't you better get a bottle of

**BALM OF GILEAD**

This is a remedy that is superior to the usual white pine syrups in that it contains ammonia. Get a bottle now. You'll need it in the morning. 25 cents per bottle

**PARAGON PHARMACY**  
Where a registered Pharmacist fills every prescription.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

D. V. McNair, of Graceville, Fla., was here last night.

John L. Ward was here yesterday from Marianna, Fla.

Will H. Ward, of Marianna, was here a while yesterday.

H. V. Hudson, of Blountstown, Fla., spent last night in the city.

R. P. Williams, of Appalachicola, Fla., was in the city yesterday.

J. W. Folkes, of route 4, was in town Tuesday and paid for his weekly.

Hyman Levine has gone to Birmingham to spend a few days with relatives.

Messrs. A. L. and A. C. Kelly of Bloomb, were transacting business in Dothan today.

Dr. W. C. Vickers of Abbeville is among the well known visitors to Dothan today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Coe and little son of Hartford are here today visiting friends and relatives.

**For Rent.**—One 5-room house in Westover. Possession given at once. W. B. Jarvis. t31.

Mr. G. W. Kelley and son Byrd, of Midland City, were in the city yesterday visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Dora Kelly and Bessie Thornton, of Carrollton, Ga., are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Martin, on South Oates St.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Kelly, of Carrollton, Ga., are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Martin. Mr. Kelly is the editor of the Carrollton Free Press, a weekly paper published there.

**At The Criterion**

**JEAN GOES FORAGING**

A Vitagraph story of a summer vacation. How two young people tried to live in the open. Their adventures and their narrow escape from starvation through the intelligence and love of their dog Jean. Jean is the Vitagraph dog actor and has been seen in many of their productions.

**HIS BREACH OF DISCIPLINE**

The story of a lieutenant of the French army and his sweetheart. It is a drama of intense interest and will hold your keenest attention from the first to the last scene

Musie tonight by the orchestra.

Dr. C. W. Vickers and J. D. Ward, of Abbeville spent yesterday with friends in Dothan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baine and daughter of Birmingham, are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Oliver on North Foster street

C. L. Blalock, a former resident of this city but now of Cord, returned to his home this morning after a short stay in the city.

**PALMERS**

**Toilet Waters**  
Are  
**Fragrant, Lasting and True to the flower odor.**  
Try Apple Leaves  
or  
Lilac Sweets  
They are very popular  
Prices 25, 50 and \$1.00

**N. H. McCALLUM**

*The Rexall Store*

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**BLACKSMITHING.**

First class blacksmith work; hors shoeing a specialty. All in satisfactory.

**MURKETT & WHITEHEAD.**

At the Thrasher Old Stable.

**A Simple Safeguard For Mothers.**

Mrs. D. Gilkeson, 326 Ingles Ave., Fongstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and cougher almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes. For sale by N. H. McCallum.

Dr. J. B. Long, of Abbeville, was in town today.

**SOME CHANGES**

On and after January 1, 1911, we will sell twenty milk tickets for \$1.00 cash, and eighteen where the account is run over till the first of the month.

Locust Grove Dairy.

**CUMBIE BICYCLE SHOP**  
South St. Andrews Street



**COMING IN OUT OF THE COLD**

one appreciates a perfectly heated house. Whether you heat your rooms with parlor stoves, steam or furnace you must have a high grade coal to throw out sufficient heat to properly warm your home during the winter. You will burn less coal in your heating apparatus, no matter what kind it be, if you get a superior grade of coal that is well screened and clean, from the Dothan Wood and Coal Co. Telephone 247

**DR. E. N. PASSMORE**  
**DENTIST**  
First Natl. Bank Bldg.  
Dothan, Ala.

Don't wait till your coal bin is empty. Call us now for a ton of Piper. Better than any you have used before. Dothan Ice Co.

Piper coal is the highest grade of coal for your grate. We can supply you today. Dothan Ice Company.

**FRESH FISH**

**CHOICE MEATS**

Here in this up to now market you will find all the good things that you could wish for in meats and fish we solicit your trade for these goods only.

**DIXIE MARKET**  
McKnight & Lambert  
Props.  
Phone 378

**CONTRACTING AND BUILDING**

House Moving  
Estimates Furnished  
J. F. KEAHEY & SON

**Take Care**

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley's Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years."

**Higher Milk.**

Owing to the high price of feeds stuff, it will be impossible to sell milk at the old price. After January 1st, 20 milk tickets will be given to the \$1 when paid cash; if not cash, but 18 will be given. Butter will be 40c per pound.

Two rooms to rent for light house keeping. Apply to — J. W. Barnard. 412 South Oates Street. t4

**HEAVY DRAYING.**

We are prepared to do your draying and can handle anything, no drays handle. For prompt service, call

Phone 120  
**CITY DRAY LINE**  
A. J. Rosten, Prop.

**Darn Stockings on a Sewing Machine**

Don't darn stockings by hand when you can get a Singer Darners that can be used on any lock stitch sewing machine. Makes darning a pastime. For sale at Singer Store, E. Main street, Dothan. J1

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup, bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. It contains no opiates. For sale by N. H. McCallum.

Foley's Kidney Pills are tonic in action, quick in results, and restore the natural action of the kidneys and bladder. They correct irregularities. Sold by N. H. McCallum.

**\$100 Reward, \$100.**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. This Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional cure. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The prompt cure has so much faith in its curative power that they offer \$100,000 for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Care! Family Pills for constipation.



**IT LOOKS EASY—**

But it's not as easy as it looks. But it is easy for us to do good plumbing, as we know how to do it, and have the tools to do it with. If your plumbing gets out of fix, we can fix it almost as good as new.

Give us a trial and let us show you what we can do in the plumbing line.

Telephones 174 and 421.  
**ERNEST G. BRAGDON**  
Office and shop 309 W. Newton st.

**DENTAL WORK**

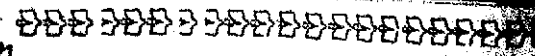
Expert service. Modern methods, Pleasantness and Satisfaction Combined

**STEVENS BROTHERS**  
Dentists  
Blumberg corner, corner Main and Foster streets. Phone 223.

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Have Reopened their Restaurant just Above Culver & Harris Fur. Store

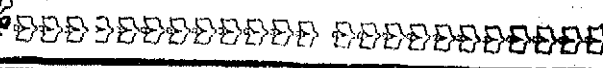
**Oysters**



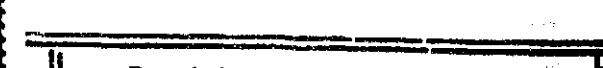
**Start Right**

Start the New Year with a new set of books. We have them from the smallest memoranda to largest loose-leaf ledger.

**Strickland Bros.**



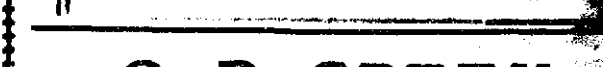
**A Good Business**



I wish to thank each and every customer for the liberal patronage given me during the fall and winter. My trade has been better than it ever was before.

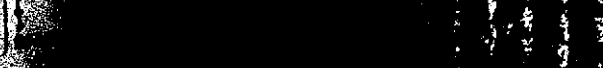
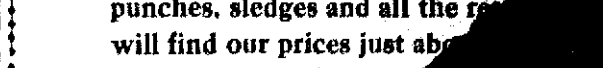
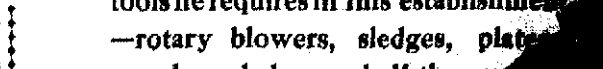
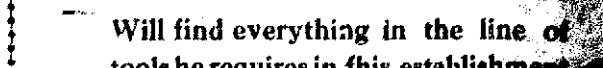
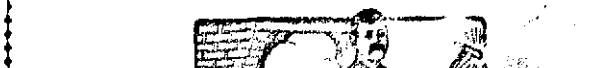
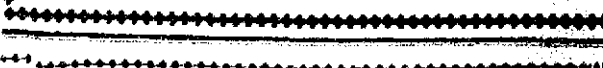
Just at this time, however, I have a lot of odd suits, for men and boys, and overcoats, that must be sold to make room for the spring goods. This winter stuff will be sold at **Manufacturers' Cost.**

Think of what that means at this season.



**O. P. GREEN**

Member Merchants Rebate Association.  
DOTHAN, ALABAMA.



**THANKS!**

We wish our customers and friends a happy and prosperous New Year, and hope that our pleasant relations will continue throughout 1911, as they have 1910.

**Dothan Jewelry Co.**

**Our Friend, The Blacksmith**

Will find everything in the line of tools he requires in this establishment — rotary blowers, sledges, plate punches, sledges and all the rest. We will find our prices just about as low as he being the judge. Every hardware at

**BENNETT H.**

